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Application of: T. JERUSSI *et al.*

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For: **METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS FOR  
THE TREATMENT OF NEUROPATHIC  
PAIN, TINNITUS AND OTHER DISORDERS  
USING R(-)-KETOPROFEN**

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**

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Sir:

Pursuant to Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and § 1.97, enclosed is a List of References Cited by Applicant listing 22 references for the Examiner's convenience. These references were either cited or submitted on August 30, 2000 or October 4, 2001 in parent Application No. 09/507,470, filed February 2, 2000 and Application No. 10/062,766, filed February 5, 2002. Copies of the references will be submitted upon request by the Examiner.

It is respectfully requested that these references be made of record in this application by the Examiner's completion and return of the Form PTO-1449.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission pursuant to § 1.97(b), as an initial Office Action on the merits of the above-identified application has not been issued. Should any fee be required, however, please charge such fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.

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